United States District Court Eastern District of Missouri 111 South 10th Street St. Louis, Missouri 63102

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NOTICE TO THE BAR

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

The local rules of practice and procedure for the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri have been amended as set forth in the administrative order dated April 6, 2009, subject to approval by the Eighth Circuit Judicial Council. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. Section 2071(b), the proposed amended rule is posted in, and copies are available from, the Office of the Clerk in the Thomas F. Eagleton United States Courthouse, Room 3.300, 111 South Tenth Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63102 and the Office of the Clerk, Rush Hudson Limbaugh Sr. United States Courthouse, 555 Independence, Cape Girardeau, Missouri. These documents are also available on the court's Web site at www.moed.uscourts.gov.

The judges of the District Court invite comments from attorneys and other interested persons. Please direct comments in writing to: Office of the Chief Judge, Thomas F. Eagleton United States Courthouse, 111 South Tenth Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63102.

This Notice and Comment period concludes May 4, 2009. The amended rule shall be effective May 11, 2009.

April 6, 2009

Carol E. Jackson Chief Judge United States District Court